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Filing Date:	12/18/2001	Examiner:	Uyen T. Le
Title	Systems, Methods, and Computer Program Products to Improve Performance of Ported Applications, such as a Database, Operating on UNIX System Services for the OS/390		

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Section 707.05(b) of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.97-1.99, a copy is herewith submitted (attached to form PTO-1449) of prior art which is considered to be pertinent to the invention as claimed in the above-identified application.

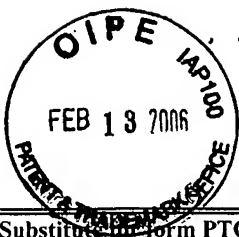
It is requested that the Examiner fully consider the art cited, initial the leftmost column of the attached PTO Form 1449 adjacent each cited reference, and return a copy of the Form 1449 for applicants' records. It is further requested that the art be cited on the cover of any patent issuing from the subject application.

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The information disclosure statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever occurs last (37 CFR 1.97(b)).

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